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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	No. CR-07 00442 SBA
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12 Plaintiff,	)	THOMAS WILLIAMS'S SENTENCING
	)	MEMORANDUM
13 vs.	)	
	)	Date: March 11, 2008
14 THOMAS WILLIAMS,	)	Time: 10:00 a.m.
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15 Defendant.	)	
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18 On March 11, 2008, Thomas Williams will plead guilty to a single count of conspiracy to  
19 possess unregistered firearms. Mr. Williams cooperated with police following his arrest and  
20 confessed his involvement in the charged offense. He chose not to challenge any aspect of the  
21 government's case, refrained from filing any motions, and, from inception, has been prepared to  
22 accept responsibility for and suffer the consequences of his conduct.

23 Under the circumstances, Mr. Williams will forego an extended discussion of recent  
24 Supreme Court decisions on sentencing. The plea agreement contemplates a sentence of sixty  
25 months, the statutory maximum for the charged offense. The parties concur that a sentence at the  
26 statutory maximum adequately serves the goals of sentencing prescribed by 18 U.S.C. §3553(a).

1 For the reasons stated, Mr. Williams respectfully requests that the Court sentence him to  
2 sixty months in conformity with the terms of the proposed plea agreement.

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5 Dated: March 4, 2008

6 Respectfully submitted,

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